

KidBlog.org

1. To create the blog for your class go to www.kidblog.org and choose **Click to Create Class**

A promotional banner for KidBlog.org. It features a blue header with the text 'Set up your class for free in 20 seconds!' and an icon of two people. Below the header, it says 'Get your students blogging. Go for it - It's fast and free!' and a large button that says 'Click to Create a Class' with a right-pointing arrow icon.

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 **Click to Create a Class**

2. Fill in your information in the next window and click **Create Class**. Be sure to go to Settings and choose your privacy settings.

(Already have an account? [Log in first](#), then add class section)

Username

mbseis

Password

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Repeat Password

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Email

mseisser@sd25.org

(You'll receive your Kidblog class information here.)

Class Name

Mrs. S's Class

(e.g. Mrs. Anderson's Class)

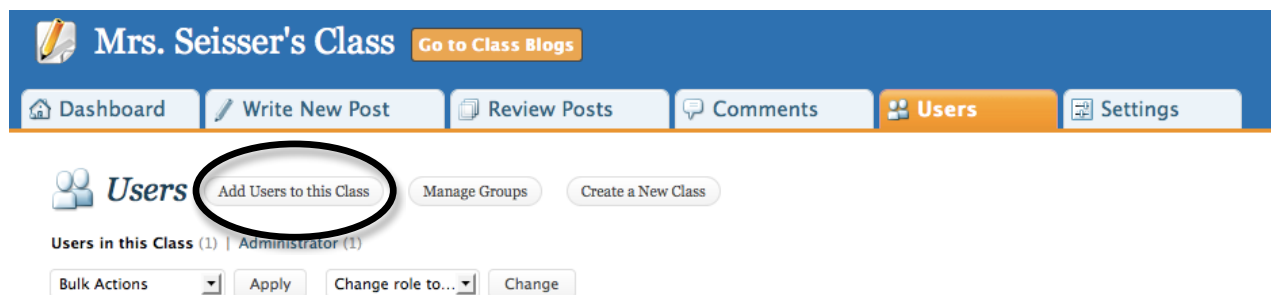
By clicking the button below, you agree to the [Terms of Service](#)

Create Class »

3. Next add students to the blog. Click **Add Students**.



4. Click on **Add Users to this Class**

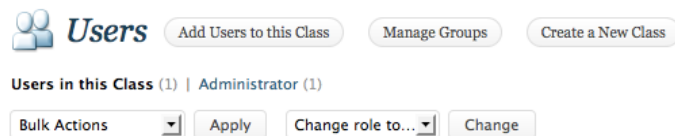
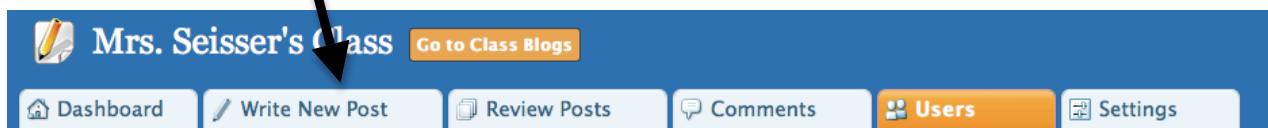


5. Type the student's username and password. I would suggest using the username and password they use for logging in to the server. Click **Add User**. Continue adding your users.

A screenshot of the 'Add New User' form. The form title is 'Add New User' with a link '« Back to List of Students/Users'. The instructions state: 'Use this form to create new users and add them to your Kidblog class(es). Or [add existing users](#) from other classes. Or [bulk-create](#) new users by uploading a "CSV" file.' The form fields are: 'Username' (text input), 'Password' (text input), and 'Role' (dropdown menu set to 'Student'). There is an 'Add User' button at the bottom.

6. If you want to add another teacher as a User – change the **Role** to Teachers. When you have added all your students click **Back to List of Students/Users** on the top next to Add New User.

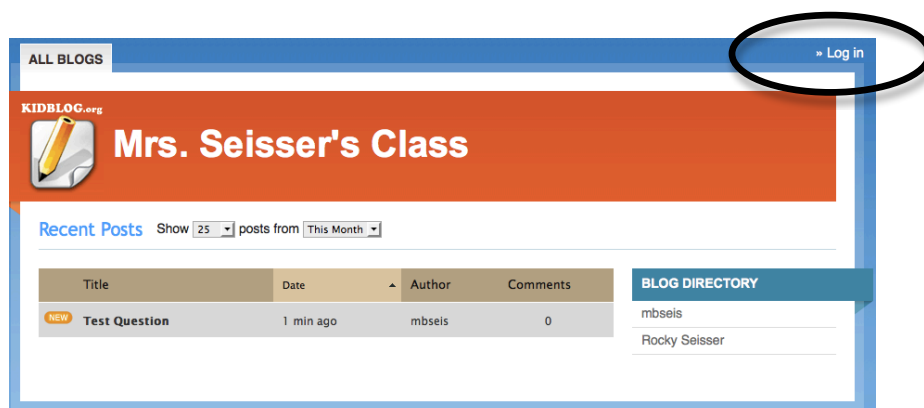
7. Now you are ready to add your post. **Click Write New Post.**



8. Type a title for your post and then add your post. When it is complete click **Publish**.



9. Give your students your Kidblog address. This is the url in your address bar when you are logged in. They will need to click Log in to comment on your post.





The image shows the KIDBLOG.org login interface. At the top is the KIDBLOG.org logo with a pencil icon. Below it is a white login box. Inside the box, there is a 'Username' label above a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is open, showing three options: 'Select Your Name' (highlighted in blue), 'mbseis', and 'Rocky Seisser'. Below the dropdown is a link that says 'Enter Username Manually'. To the right of the dropdown is a blue 'Log In' button. At the bottom of the login box, there are two links: 'Class Blogs' and 'Lost your password?'.



This image is identical to the one on the left, showing the KIDBLOG.org login interface. The dropdown menu is open, showing the same three options: 'Select Your Name' (highlighted in blue), 'mbseis', and 'Rocky Seisser'. The 'Log In' button and the links at the bottom are also present.

10. Their username is saved in a drop down menu, click on the arrow and have them choose their name. They type in their password and click Log in.

11. The student selects the post to comment on. In the next window they type their comment and click Submit Comment.

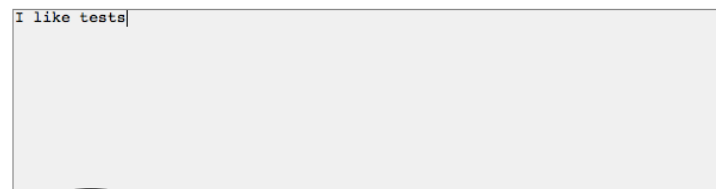
Test Question

April 29, 2011 ~ 0 COMMENTS

This is a test question.

Leave a Comment

Logged in as Rocky Seisser. [Logout »](#)



A large text input field for leaving a comment. The text 'I like tests' is already typed into the field.

SUBMIT COMMENT

12. When you (the teacher) sign into the blog, go to the post. Here you will see the student's comments, you can Edit, Approve or Delete, if you have chosen "Teacher must approve comments before they appear" in your Settings. Once you approve the comment, it can be viewed by all bloggers.

Test Question

April 29, 2011 ~ **0 COMMENTS**  [Edit this Post](#)

This is a test question.

No Approved Comments

Rocky Seisser

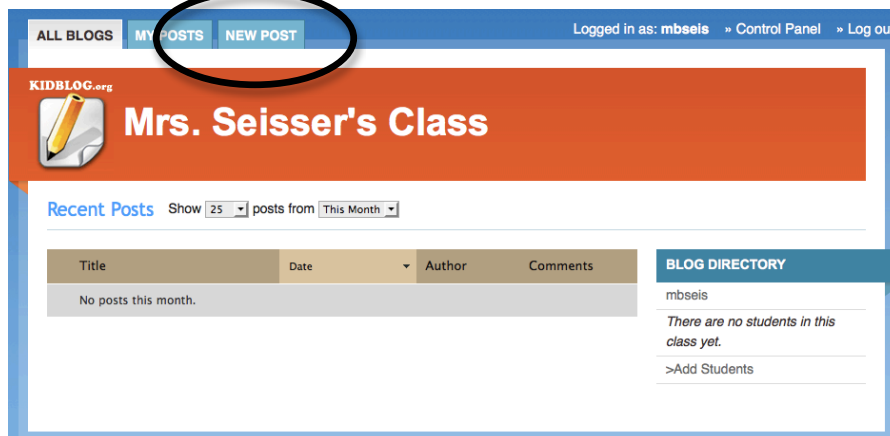
Your comment is awaiting moderation.

April 29, 2011 at 8:58 am


I like tests

[Edit](#) | [Approve](#) | [Delete](#)

13. To add another post, click on the New Post tab.



ALL BLOGS **MY POSTS** NEW POST Logged in as: mbseis » Control Panel » Log out

KIDBLOG.org  **Mrs. Seisser's Class**

Recent Posts Show 25 posts from This Month

Title	Date	Author	Comments
No posts this month.			

BLOG DIRECTORY

mbseis

There are no students in this class yet.

>Add Students



Mrs. Seisser's Class

[Go to Class Blogs](#)

14. If a student signs in to add a comment and is at Write a Post, have them click on **Go to Class Blogs**. Students can also write posts. Unless you choose “Teacher must approve post before they appear” in your settings all posts are live. The teacher can also be notified by email when a post is made or when a comment is made.